

QUARTER CENTURY WIRELESS ASSOCIATION

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QCWA PRESIDENT STUART MEYER, W2GHK, MADE THE OFFICIAL PRESENTATION OF THE QCWA HALL OF FAME AWARD TO SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER, K7UGA, NOVEMBER 9, 1983, AS A PART OF THE OFFICIAL CEREMONIES ANNOUNCING THE BARRY GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP. OFFICIALS OF THE ARRL, OF THE FCC, OF QCWA AND PROMINENT WASHINGTON AREA AMATEURS WERE PRESENT TO WITNESS THE PROGRAM.

THE QCWA BOARD OF DIRECTORS ARE EXPECTED TO MEET IN THE DALLAS, TEXAS AREA, ON APRIL 7, 1984. THE LOCATION WILL BE THE RAMADA INN, LOCATED ON REGAL ROW, DALLAS, TEXAS. FINAL ARRANGEMENTS ARE BEING MADE. A FIRM ANNOUNCEMENT WILL APPEAR IN THE DECEMBER HLR TOGETHER WITH INFORMATION WHICH WILL PERMIT INTERESTED PERSONS TO PLAN TO ATTEND. THE MEETINGS ARE EXPECTED TO BE WORKING MEETINGS BUT INTERESTED MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND TO WITNESS THE PROCEEDINGS. IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO EXPRESS YOUR INTENT TO ATTEND BY NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 15, SO THAT SUFFICIENT SEATING SPACE CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE.

QCWA OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATING AN ACCEPTABLE AGREEMENT WITH THE ARRL TO PROVIDE A CLOSER WORKING ALLIANCE WITH THE ARRL AND AN AGREEMENT WHEREBY BOTH QCWA AND ARRL ARE ABLE TO MAINTAIN THEIR OWN FULL IDENTITIES. THE AGREEMENT, WHEN REACHED, WILL ELIMINATE THE NECESSITY FOR INDIVIDUAL CHAPTER AFFILIATIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN BANNED BY BOARD ACTION. THE AFFILIATION WILL BE ON THE NATIONAL LEVEL WITH EACH ORGANIZATION MAINTAINING AUTONOMY OVER ITS ACTIONS.

QCWA NEWS FOR THE WINTER OF 1983 HAS BEEN IN THE MAIL FOR SOME TIME, MEMBERS SHOULD HAVE IT IN HAND BY THE TIME THIS IS PUBLISHED.

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NOTABLE QCWA MEMBERS WERE RECIPIENTS OF SPECIAL AWARDS BY THE RADIO CLUB OF AMERICA AT ITS WINTER, 1983 MEETING. THOSE HONORED BY AWARDS WHO ARE QCWA MEMBERS ARE:

William J. Halligan, W9AC - Sarnoff Citation

Fred M. Link, W2ALU - DuMont Citation

Joseph R. Pavsek, WØOEP - Batchelor Award

David Talley, W2PF - Busignies Award

Stuart F. Meyer, W2GHK - President's Award

OTHERS RECEIVING RADIO CLUB OF AMERICA HONORS WERE:

Edwin P. Felch, - Armstrong Medal

Delbert E. Replogle - de Forest Award

F. X. Rettenmeyer - Pioneer Citation

QCWA SALUTES ALL OF THESE MEN WHO HAVE BEEN HONORED FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FIELD OF ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

WE WISH TO MAKE A SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT TO MEMBERS AND TO OUR CHAPTERS OF QCWA. THERE IS TIME TO PERMIT EACH CHAPTER TO CONSIDER NOMINATIONS FOR THE FIVE OFFICES OF DIRECTORS TO BE ELECTED DURING THE SUMMER OF 1984. NOMINATION BY PETITION REQUIRES THAT NO LESS THAN 50 MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING SIGN A PETITION WHICH WILL PLACE THEIR CANDIDATES NAME ON THE SLATE. THE PETITION MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 31, 1983, AND FILED WITH QCWA SECRETARY:

Jim Walsh, W7LVN
159 East 16th Street
Eugene, OR 97401

PLEASE UNDERTAKE TO ENCOURAGE ELIGIBLE MEMBERS TO PLACE THEIR HATS IN THE RING!

WE ASK AGAIN: WHEN SENDING CHANGES IN CHAPTER OFFICERS PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME, CALL, COMPLETE ADDRESS, PREFERABLY ON A SEPARATE BIT OF PAPER FROM CHAPTER NEWS.

REPORTS OF SILENT KEY MEMBERS SHOULD ALWAYS INCLUDE NAME, CALL, MEMBERSHIP NUMBER, ADDRESS AND DATE OF THEIR PASSING.

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NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION BLANKS HAVE BEEN PREPARED, DATED OCTOBER, 1983. EACH MEMBER WILL RECEIVE ONE ON THE BACK OF THE WINTER QCWA NEWSLETTER. USE THEM FROM NOW FORWARD, IF POSSIBLE.

NEW APPLICATION BLANKS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE 50-YEAR CONTINUOUSLY LICENSED GOLD AWARD. THE FEE IS \$5 FOR THE CERTIFICATE WHICH MUST ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION AND PROOF OF ELIGIBILITY. WRITE HQ.

QCWA AS SHOCKED TO LEARN OF THE PASSIGN OF HANS SCHLEIFENBAUM, DLIYA. HANS WAS A PRIME MOVER IN ESTABLISHING THE GERMAN CHAPTER OF QCWA WHICH NOW HAS MORE THAN 200 MEMBERS.

HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN IN COMMUNICATION WITH THE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER OF QCWA, AT SYDNEY. A LIST OF VK/ZL MEMBERS INTERESTED IN QCWA HAS BEEN PASSED TO CHAPTER OFFICIALS. IT IS HOPED THAT ACTIVITY IN THAT AREA CAN BE ENLARGED.

CHAPTER OFFICIALS MAY REQUEST A LIST OF QCWA MEMBERS LIVING IN THEIR AREAS WHICH WILL SHOW THE MEMBERSHIP STATUS OF EACH QCWA MEMBER. THIS WILL PERMIT CHAPTER OFFICIALS TO INSURE THAT ALL MEMBERS ARE IN GOOD STANDING WITH QCWA NATIONAL, AS IS REQUIRED. THE ZIP-CODE LIST IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST, SPECIFY ZIP-CODE RANGE.

HEADQUARTERS IS BUSY PREPARING THE QCWA ROSTER TO SHOW THE EARLIEST DATE OF LICENSING FOR EACH MEMBER. IT IS EXPECTED THAT MAILING LABELS WILL DISPLAY THE YEAR OF LICENSING AS FOLLOWS:

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THE LAST TWO DIGITS ON THE TOP LINE INDICATE THE FIRST YEAR OF LICENSING - IN THE EXAMPLE, 1929. THESE NUMBERS WILL BEGIN TO APPEAR ON MANY MEMBERS LABELS COMMENCING WITH THE SPRING, 1984 NEWS. IF YOU DISAGREE WITH THE YEAR LISTED, PROVIDE PROOF OF ANY CHANGE REQUESTED AND A CORRECTION WILL BE MADE. THE INFORMATION HAS BEEN GLEANED FROM QCWA MEMBER APPLICATIONS, AS A GENERAL RULE.

THIS ISSUE OF QCWA HLR~ GOES TO ALL OF OUR INTERNATIONAL MEMBERS.
TO THEM WE OFFER CONGRATULATIONS UPON THE HALL OF FAME AWARD GIVEN
TO JEAN B. WOLFF, LX1JW, WHOSE CONTRIBUTIONS TO AMATEUR RADIO SPAN
NEARLY 7 DECADES. HE WAS AWARDED THE HONOR AT DENVER, IN SEPTEMBER,
1983.

THE MOST RECENT QCWA MEMBER ENROLLED (NOVEMBER 16, 1983) IS:

Mr. Donald H. Cleveland, K9MWU (17417), Ft. Wayne, IN 46804
Donald is a Certified Public Accountant and a fisherman!

WELCOME TO QCWA!

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